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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Before examining the referenced application on the merits, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows [a marked-up copy of the amended claims is attached as Appendix A]:

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4. (Amended) A receiver/decoder according to claim 1, wherein the means for communicating the debugging message is adapted to transmit a debugging message containing information concerning execution of the application by the receiver/decoder.
5. (Amended) A receiver/decoder according to claim 1, wherein the application comprises a plurality of files, the receiver/decoder comprising means for selectively reading at least one of the files from the remote workstation.
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8. (Amended) A receiver/decoder according to claim 5, wherein the receiver/decoder is adapted to read an individual file from the remote workstation.
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